

To all who  
love their Country.

# Britain for the British.

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*In Nottingham, on November 17, 1910, Mr. BALFOUR, the Leader of the Unionist Party, said:—*

“What is driving on our opponents along the path of revolution? It is the impulse of Mr. Keir Hardie and his Socialist following, supplemented by the impulse of Mr. Redmond with his Home Rule following and his American dollars.

Are we going to tolerate that? Is that what we understand by party government in this country? . . .

I say that is an intolerable position, and it can only be met if men of all parties, all British parties, will join together and say, under this combination we will not live. This tyranny we will not tolerate; we will bring our institutions into conformity with the ideas of the changing

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age, but we will do it in our own way, we will do it in our own time, we will do it at our own bidding, and according to our own principles, and we will not be dictated to. We will not have change of which we disapprove forced down our throats by alien influences . . .

The struggle which is about to take place in the constituencies may in form be a struggle between the old historic parties, between the Radicals on the one side and the Unionists on the other. . In substance, in truth, and in reality it is **a struggle between the moderate men on the one side and these other and extraneous influences on the other, and I appeal to all men of moderate opinion, to whatever party they belong, to see, at all events, that it is left to citizens of this Empire and of this country**

to mould their institutions in their own fashion, in their own way, and not to become the slaves of the log-rolling intriguing party group arrangements of the House of Commons which may force upon us changes which nobody ever desires, changes which can have no result in bettering the condition of any man, woman, or child in the kingdom, but which may be utterly fatal to the future development, the future growth of this great Empire, of which for the moment we are the Trustees."

*Times*, November 18, 1910.

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